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SUBJECT: LABOR DEMONSTRATION

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1. ACCORDING TO PRESS, VIOLENT CLASH TOOK PLACE IN SAN LUIS POTOSI ON JAN. 31, 1976, BETWEEN MEMBERS OF NATIONAL UNION OF ELECTRICAL POWER WORKERS' UNION (SUTERM) AND DISSIDENT GROUP WHO SUPPORT EXPELLED MARXIST UNION LEADER RAFAEL GALVAN. DISSIDENTS CLAIM SUTERM ROWDIES BROKE UP THEIR DEMONSTRATION WITH CLUBS, WOUNDING SEVERAL OF THEIR FOLLOWERS. OTHER DEMONSTRATIONS BY DISSIDENTS WERE REPORTED IN GUADALAJARA, GUANAJUATO, AQUASCALIENTES AND MEXICALI, WITHOUT INCIDENT. PROTEST RALLY IN MEXICO CITY WAS NOT HELD.

2. COMMENT: EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT FEDERAL DISTRICT REFUSED PERMISSION FOR RALLY AND DISSIDENTS ACQUIESCED, HAVING LOST SUPPORT OF SINDICATO MEXICANO DE ELECTRICISTAS, RIVAL OF SUTERM. DISSIDENTS MAY ALSO HAVE BEEN DISCOURAGED BY PRE-OCCUPATION OF STUDENT GROUPS WITH THREATENED FACULTY STRIKE AT NATIONAL AUTONOMOUS UNIVERSITY (WHICH INCIDENTALLY, WAS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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